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AND STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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Dear Sir:

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The undersigned, on behalf of Litton Systems, Inc., assignee of the above-referenced patent application, hereby appoints the practitioners associated with **Customer Number 6449** as its attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

All previous powers of attorney are hereby revoked.

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Please change the correspondence address for the above-identified application to **Customer Number 6449**.

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b)

I am authorized representative of Litton Systems, Inc., the assignee of record of 100% interest in the present application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above. The assignment was submitted for recordation in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 21, 2004. A copy of the assignment is enclosed herewith.

Assignee: Litton Systems, Inc.

Date June 11, 2004

By \_\_\_\_\_

Name: John H. Mullan

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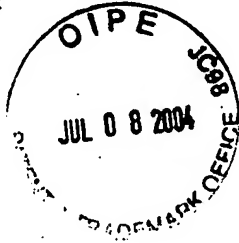
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1. John BENHAM



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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I, John BENHAM of Torrington, Connecticut, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled INTERCONNECTION ARRANGEMENT, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on \_\_\_\_\_, and identified by United States Patent Application No. \_\_\_\_\_;

AND WHEREAS, LITTON SYSTEMS, INC., a corporation of the State of Delaware and having an address of 1840 Century Park East, Los Angeles, CA 90067-2199, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt for and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Litton Systems, Inc., its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, I hereby agree with the said assignee that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that I will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or chooses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND I request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to Litton Systems, Inc., its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

1-21-04  
Date

John BENHAM

STATE OF CONNECTICUT)

) SS:

COUNTY OF NEW HAVEN)

On this 21ST day of JANUARY, 2004, before me personally appeared John BENHAM, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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Suzanne McKirdy  
Notary Public

**SUZANNE MCKIRDY**  
**NOTARY PUBLIC**

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

**MY COMMISSION EXPIRES DEC. 31, 2008**